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SALEMAN'S FIGHT. Efforts to Break the Sunday Law at New York.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Many new and interesting features in the fight of the saloon-keepers against the police, which were promised for today, did not materialize and the day simply fell in line with the other Sundays which have intervened since the reform police board took hold of the municipal administration. It was a pretty dry day, but a shade pleasanter, for the thirsty who have learned the scheme secured drinks from an apparently closed saloon. For the stranger and the uninitiated, the day was as dry as any of the past half dozen Sundays.

Few dealers took advantage of the privileges of keeping their places open, which has lately been decided to be in the provided liquors are not given away or sold. The most notable instance was that of Steve Brodie, who had no end of trouble in carrying on a charitable enterprise in his saloon. Brodie was giving away lemonade and taking a collection for a free-ice fund when the police arrested him for breaking the Sabbath law, but he was promptly discharged by Magistrate Cornell. Afterward he was arrested twice, but each time was released and resumed business.

COLON CABLING. A Prohibition Against Landing Private and Navy-Schooner Sold.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) COLON, Aug. 11.—(By Central American Cable.) The governments of Nicaragua and Costa Rica have notified steamship agents that the prohibition against the landing of private and navy ships has been removed, and free entry is accorded to all but Chinese. The agent here of the New York board of underwriters has advertised that the cargo of the American schooner Anne Valentine will be sold at auction. She has been condemned as unseaworthy.

The Valentine sailed from Mobile, Ala., on May 31 for Port Limon, Costa Rica, with 115,000 feet of pitch pine lumber. She experienced heavy seas and lost all her rigging and put into Colon on July 13, after drifting for five weeks on the Caribbean Sea, and being given up as lost. She registered 240 tons net, sailed from New York, and was owned by James Stafford, Capt. Morris was her commander.

THE MORNING'S NEWS

The Times

Associated Press Reports Briefed.

THE CITY—Pages 3, 6, 7, 8, 10.

The transplanting of giant palm trees... City Council forecast... Sunday at the churches... Local sporting gossip... An objecting heir in the settlement of the Den estate... A woman on the warpath on First street... A Y.V.C.A. junket... An exciting fire in the oil district... Incendiary blazes.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA—Page 9.

Immense crowds of Sunday visitors at the seaside resorts... Grand illumination of Avalon Bay Saturday night... San Bernardino negotiating for a bicycle factory... Redlands military company reviving... Bug inspectors at Ontario... Prosperity at Villa Park... Band contest at Redondo... The Horton House, San Diego, sold to U. S. Grant, Jr... Orange county honey crop harvested... Suit over water-rights at Santa Ana... Bicycle clubs meet at Pomona... Busy times at Port Los Angeles... A Masonic banquet at Pasadena... Memorial services at the veterans' encampment at Santa Monica... A boy drowned at San Pedro.

PACIFIC COAST—Pages 1, 2.

Extensive forest fires in Washington... Interesting mail advices from the Orient... A Napa man outrages his daughter and threatens his wife's life... Tom Coughlin confesses having killed his partner... Mayor Sutro offers a land site to the affiliated colleges... A Vancouver man horribly mangled by a train.

GENERAL EASTERN—Pages 1, 2, 5.

The Boston Standard prints an extended interview with Miss Clara M. Cushman on the condition of missionaries in China... Terrific storms in Nebraska, Indiana, Ohio, New York and other States... Atty-Gen. Harmon's brother accused of abusing his wife... Canadian trade competition... The Indianapolis ball club mobbed... Would-be lynchers forced through their own drunkenness... A \$500,000 fire at Newark, N. J... The Omaha fire and police squabble.

BY CABLE—Pages 1, 2.

An ovation to Campos at Havana... Emperor William not successful in the yacht races... Praise for American tourists from British journals... The homeward rush begun... England tires of the Ameer's son... The Queen's speech will make no disclosures... Prohibition against the landing of priests and nuns in Costa Rica and Nicaragua is removed... Kaiser Wilhelm to be entertained by Lord Lansdale.

AT LARGE—Pages 1, 2, 5.

Dispatches were also received from St. Paul, Eagle Pass, Tex.; Wilmet, Ind.; Pueblo, Colo.; London, Tokyo, San Francisco, Bloomington, Ind.; Washington, Cleveland, Chicago, New York, Imperial, Neb., and other places.

WEATHER FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 11.—For Southern California: Fair, except somewhat cloudy and foggy along the coast at night; nearly stationary temperature; fresh to brisk westerly winds along the coast.

PRAISE FOR AMERICANS.

JOHN BULL FINDS SOME GOOD IN YANKEES.

That Prodigality of Big, Round Dollars Has Touched a Responsive Chord in British Hearts—The Homeward Rush.

(BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TIMES.) LONDON, Aug. 11.—(Special Dispatch.) All facilities for going to America from any port of Europe during the next eight weeks, except in the steerage, are exhausted. The steamship people of all lines are at their wits' end trying to accommodate the hordes of home-going tourists. The distress of the stranded travelers who neglected to secure quarters long in advance is great in many instances. The result in some cases will be that persons who would be glad to pay first-class fare will land in New York next month among the immigrants in the steerage.

It must be said that American visitors in England this summer have received a warmer welcome from Englishmen than ever before, and the entertaining of Americans has become what might be described, perhaps, as a popular fad. This new spirit of cordiality is finding unusual expression also in the principal journals. Both the Telegraph and Standard print remarkable leading articles on the subject, in which the warmest sentiments are expressed in language of apparently genuine sincerity.

The Standard says of Americans: "London society loves good spirits, mirth, wit, originality and active-mindedness, and our visitors from the States possess all these invaluable qualities, and display them prodigally. The men are witty and well-informed. The women are fair to see, admirably dressed and overflowing with conversation."

Justice Jackson's Funeral.

NASHVILLE (Tenn.) Aug. 11.—Chief Justice Fuller and Associate Justice Brewer came tonight to be present at Justice Jackson's funeral. All arrangements have been completed for the interment of Justice Jackson's remains. The ceremonies will be simple and the burial will be at Belle Meade, six miles from this city.

ORIENTAL MAIL

Public Affairs in China and Japan.

Li Hung Chang Endeavors to Regain Favor.

Chinese Court Etiquette Rudely Shaken by the Japanese.

Count Inouye Resumes His Post in Korea—Indignation Meeting at Shanghai.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) VICTORIA (B. C.) Aug. 11.—The steamship Victoria docked today after the steamer passengers for Canada had been landed at the quarantine station with baggage for fumigation. The crew reports that the open ports of Japan are free from the disease, but there is a slight increase in the interior. The vessel left before the recent massacre of missionaries. Ad- vices to July 28 are as follows:

Count Inouye has resumed control of the Japanese legation in Korea, and the scandals growing out of the quarrels between his subordinates and the Japanese employees in the Korean public service are gradually subsiding. The envoy and his wife were received at court on July 22. The Queen greeted Countess Inouye warmly, and expressed a desire that she would remain long in Seoul. By many it is believed that an effort will be made to influence the Queen through Countess Inouye, but the actual circumstances do not warrant this supposition.

Count Inouye intends to remain in Korea long enough to ally the dissensions among his countrymen and set the affairs of the legation in order; after which he will be succeeded by Gen. Viscount Miura, whose views respecting the course to be pursued by Japan are widely opposed to those of the present incumbent. Miura was authorized by his government to adopt a policy of forbearance, instead of endeavoring to enforce immediate submission to Japanese dictation. Popular opinion is divided as to Miura's chances of success. It is evident that high abilities are required and ability of a totally different kind from those which Inouye possesses in order to win the confidence of the Korean political leaders.

After the escape of Pak Yong Hyo, the Korean Minister, from Seoul, four of his Japanese associates, including a newspaper correspondent, were ordered to leave the country on the ground that their presence was prejudicial to peace. The Japanese consul approved their expulsion. At the same time, some of the Japanese of both sexes and of the disreputable class were sent back to their own country. The new envoy from Korea, Ko Yong Hwal, assumed the duties of his office in Japan on July 21. The special ambassador, Prince Wilhelms, left Seoul on the 10th to visit Japan and offer the King's congratulations and thanks to the Emperor, has declined to serve, and no substitute has been nominated. This mark of discourtesy is attributed to the Queen's displeasure.

The subjugation of Southwestern Formosa by the Japanese proceeds slowly. No attack on the strong positions held by Liu and other insurgent chiefs will be ordered until it is certain that the movement can be made irrevocable. Meanwhile, a corps of outposts suffer considerably from guerrilla onslaughts. The government at Tokio is considering the question of suspending the civil administration, under Gov.-Gen. Kabayama, until the military conquest of the island shall have been completed. A stringent proclamation has been published by the Governor-General, condemning to death all natives found guilty of aiding or abetting the insurgents.

Although the ex-Viceroy, Li Hung Chang, still remains from the displeasure of the Chinese court, he is not without hope that his efforts to re-establish himself in favor will be successful. By a judicious use of the treasure yet at his disposal he may yet regain a position, the resources of which will enable him to recoup his disbursements of a hundred-fold. He lives long enough. His most prominent rival, Viceroy Chang at Nanking, has not lately used his opportunities to advantage.

The anti-foreign uprising in the interior, his share in originating which is well understood at Peking, have not turned out well, and their failure is reckoned more or less against him. Some of his recent recommendations to the Taung-Li-Yamen have been more strongly flavored with prejudice than could be approved by even that unprogressive body. He proposed two candidates for post of envoy to Japan on the express ground that they knew no language but the Chinese, and, therefore, could not conduct a knowledge of the Chinese language and customs, to proceed at the earliest moment to Cheng-Tu, and thoroughly investigate the causes and fix responsibility of the recent riots in which valuable American property was wantonly destroyed, and twenty-four American missionaries were violently maltreated at the instigation of native officials. The government at Washington was also advised that the missionaries to their stations in Sze-Chuan province, and that their rights to reside and prosecute their work in the interior of China be publicly proclaimed in all parts of the empire.

The Japanese government learns that reports have been circulated in Europe to the effect that a peacemaking demand has been made upon China in consequence of the retrocession of the Liaotung Peninsula and adjoining districts, and that the matter is receiving attention from the Russian and German governments. The report is without foundation. No claim has yet been formulated by Japan, nor has the question been brought forward for discussion. It is still doubtful whether this particular detail will be settled in China or Japan, but the present disposition of the Japanese is to open negotiations in their own hands. The arrival of the new Chinese envoy at his post, in Tokio under interference of the European powers can be better guarded against than in China.

The first reception of the new Japanese envoy at the Chinese court was distinguished by a departure from conventional precedent, which excited much comment in diplomatic circles. The Chinese chief tenaciously to punctilious observances, especially those which guard the sacredness of the throne, and the methods of approach to the person of the sovereign are regulated and enforced with unvarying strictness. The Emperor holds audiences seated on a platform, and he is preceded by a set of steps intended for his exclusive use. When credentials have been taken to him by side staircases, at the right or left of the central flight. For a long time foreign ministers in Peking have claimed that since these documents proceed originally from the rulers of their respective nations, they should have the privilege of passing over the imperial stairway, but no attention has been paid to their pleas.

Mr. H. Hashi, however, had been admonished by his government to insist upon every mark of respect to which his position entitled him, and to submit to no slight, however trivial it might appear, for the reason that forms which are elsewhere considered insignificant are often magnified to vast importance in China. He therefore expressed a strong desire that his credentials should be conveyed to the Emperor by the route reserved for His Majesty, and after some demur his request was granted. Rather to the surprise of his European and American colleagues, the audience took place on July 7, and after appropriate addresses were delivered, the envoy's documents were received by Prince Kung, president of the Taung-Li-Yamen, and carried up the central steps to the throne. Hayashi's speech on the occasion was as follows: "His Majesty, the Emperor of Japan, rejoicing sincerely at the restoration of peaceful relations, has been pleased to credit me as his representative at Your Majesty's court. I beg permission to express the sense of honor I enjoy in being granted this audience, and in the opportunity of presenting my credentials. It is my profound hope that hereafter amicable intercourse of the two empires may become more and more intimate, and that I may long be favored with Your Majesty's consideration. I pray that Your Majesty may be blessed with long life and prosperous reign."

The reply was brief and to this effect: "The war is ended and peace is re-established. I am happy to receive you. Two countries, separated only by a narrow strip of water, should always maintain terms of friendship."

A storm of extraordinary severity visited South Japan on July 25, causing great loss of life, and destroying property of immense value. Many calamities are reported, the most serious of which was the overthrow of a railway train bearing disabled soldiers from Hiroshima to the north for hospital treatment. The force of the tempest was such that thirteen cars, together with the engine, were hurled down a causeway into a deep inlet of an inland sea. It is stated that 130 passengers were killed or fatally injured, but hopes are entertained that these first accounts may prove to be exaggerated. A corps of surgeons was dispatched from Hiroshima to the scene by the Emperor's order, and 500 men were sent by the Emperor to relieve the immediate wants of the sufferers.

Plans for an international exposition are now under consideration by Japanese capitalists, and there is a prospect that the scheme may be discussed in the coming session of the Diet. The site suggested is in Tokio at the mouth of the Arakawa River, and the first or second year of the twentieth century is indicated as the earliest practicable time.

NO LYNCHING THERE.

A MOB FAILS TO ACCOMPLISH ITS PURPOSE.

An Attempt Made to Take Two Ravishers from the Jail at Springfield, Ky., but the Would-be Lynchers Were Too Drunk.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) LEBANON (Ky.) Aug. 11.—A mob of about forty men went to the Springfield jail about 1 o'clock this morning and demanded of the jailer the keys to the cells of Matthew Lewis and Jesse Ray, who assaulted Mrs. Shields recently. The jailer, seeing that resistance was useless, handed over the keys, and the mob at once proceeded to business. Everybody in the mob was drunk, and none of them seemed to be able to unlock the jail door. After working about the locks and bolts without result they secured sledge hammers and tried to break down the doors. They proved too strong for them, however, and, after two hours' hard work, they abandoned the job.

The mob then emptied revolvers into the cells of the jail, but no one was hit. Returning to the jail, the jailer told him they would be back to night, and left town. The mob was composed of men from Washington and Marion counties. The two negroes will be confined at Louisville until the excitement at Springfield is over.

ISA DOOLEY'S CRIME.

PUEBLO (Colo.) Aug. 11.—Isa Dooley lies at the morgue with a bullet hole in her chest and her lover, James E. Doyle, is at the County Jail, with a bullet in his left shoulder. Both men were indicted by the grand jury this afternoon when he told her that he could not take her with him to Denver where he intended going in a few days. Isa Dooley came here a year ago from Nebraska.

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smoothly without the difficulties that had been contemplated. This new treaty follows the treaty of peace made at Shimonoseki, which briefly recited that when peace was finally restored a new commercial treaty would be formed. It is an important document, as it gives in detail the terms on which China is to be opened to commerce, whereas the peace treaty recited only the fact.

The negotiations have proceeded far enough to show that Japan will have the favored position as to commerce. This will be the first time that China has granted this clause to Japan. It assures to Japan the lowest rate of duty on articles sent to China that the latter country exacts from any other country. Japan is thus placed on equal terms for the first time with Great Britain, the United States and other great powers.

Another feature of the treaty is the establishment of Japanese Consular Courts in China for the trial of Japanese. This is to ensure the Japanese against the crude judgment system and harsh punishments of China, and is similar to the consular Courts of other leading nations in China. But as Japan has raised her judicial system to a high plane, abolishing all traces of brutal punishment, there is found to be no need of foreign courts in Japan. Great Britain and the United States have agreed to abolish their Consular Courts in Japan, and following this new order of things Japan will not let Chinese Consular Courts be established there, although there is still the Japanese side have the same protection as other powers against the crude methods of justice in China.

HAS NO INFORMATION.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—The State Department officials had no information to make public tonight from the representatives in China concerning the outrages on missionaries.

A ROYAL NUISANCE.

ENGLAND IS TIRED OF THE AMER'S SON.

The Democratic Press Grumbling at the Expensive Entertainment Afforded His Afghan Highness—Filtrations and New-mown Hay.

(BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TIMES.) LONDON, Aug. 11.—(Special Dispatch.) Nasrullah Khan is still on the hands of the English taxpayers, and what is worse, his departure has been postponed to a remote date. There is considerable grumbling in the democratic press at the expensive entertainment afforded for months to this royal nonentity. When approached through an interpreter on the subject of his sudden determination to prolong his visit, he smiled pleasantly and gave an excuse that he is acting in accordance with the will of his illustrious sire on the throne of Afghanistan, who is seeking to place diplomatic relations between his country and England on a firm footing.

The truth of the matter is, however, that the youth is infatuated with his new surroundings. Nobody in his own country ever thought of paying so much homage to the second son of the Ameer, who has not a ghost of a chance of succeeding his father on the throne. He loves to be lionized, and it is even hinted that a young court belle has descended to some serious flirtations with the Afghan prince, the heart of the semi-barbarous Prince.

Others pooh-pooh this rumor. They say he is charmed with England's green trees and beautiful landscapes. There may be some truth in this. The other day, when on a visit to the Queen, he had slipped away and was missing for the thought of the Queen became alarmed at his long absence, and, as he did not show up even at sundown, the police went out to hunt him. He was finally discovered rolling about in a hayfield. He apologized to Her Majesty, saying that he found it impossible to resist the charms of the celestial scene. He had never smelled so sweet a scent as the fragrance of new-mown hay. Notwithstanding this flattering candor all England votes him a nuisance.

DEMOLISHED CARS.

Accident on a Cincinnati Trolley Line—Passengers Hurt.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.) CINCINNATI, Aug. 11.—At 8 o'clock tonight two electric cars collided at Fourth and Main street, seriously injuring three persons and slightly injuring several others. The Fort Thomas cars from the east, and the Price Hill cars from the west on Fourth street struck the same car on the mountain of debris and cannot be reached until tomorrow. Among the lost freight were ten thoroughbred horses on route to the Springfield races. The loss is over \$50,000. As the bridge is some distance from a telegraph office, particulars are unobtainable. Two wrecking-trains and crews are at the scene of the disaster.

Praise for the Columbia.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—A letter to the Times, signed "Vice-Admiral," discussed the performances of the United States cruiser Columbia in her speed trial across the Atlantic. The writer says: "We have no man-of-war that could equal the Columbia's speed. The Blenheim ought to do so, but it is doubtful whether she would be able to do so."

Mayor Strong's Ambition.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—The Morning Advertiser will assert tomorrow that Mayor Strong is laying plans to secure the gubernatorial nomination in 1896 in accordance with an understanding between himself and Gov. McKinley of Ohio.

A HALF-MILLION FIRE

CENTRAL STAMPING COMPANY BURNED OUT.

One of the fiercest fires that has occurred at New York, N. Y., in many years.

Flames shot a hundred feet into the air and were carried for long distances.

A number of dwellings consumed. Fireman Van Houghton's narrow escape from death—its origin unknown.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

NEWARK (N. J.) Aug. 11.—The fiercest fire in the department of this city has had to contend with in many years, with the possible exception of the grain fire at the Ballentine brewery, a couple of months ago, broke out in the plant of the Central Stamping Company this afternoon. The front of the Central Stamping Company's plant was on New Jersey and Railroad avenues and covered ten city blocks. This building was five stories high and seventy feet wide, running parallel to the Rock and Liberty streets. From this building there was a wing of the same size extending from the middle of the block through to Fair street. On both sides of the main building were five three-story brick and on the north side was a two-story brick structure. All of these were destroyed. The loss of the stamping company was estimated by State Senator Ketcham, treasurer of the company, as upwards of \$500,000; insurance, \$250,000. The other losses will aggregate \$300,000.

The flames were discovered about 2 o'clock in the blacksmith shop. Even though running beneath the roof of the building, a general alarm was sent out, and within twenty minutes every watch of fire apparatus in the city was on the scene. Fifty thousand people watched the progress of the flames.

Despite tons of water the flames gained, and within half an hour after the first alarm was sounded the roof of the building was masses of fire. The flames shot a hundred feet in the air at times, and big burning brands were carried for blocks by the wind. These brands, some of them many inches in length, were carried on to the roofs of the buildings, a considerable distance away. The mechanical engine was kept on the rush from street to another putting out the smaller fires. Firemen were stationed on the roofs of several blocks, with water in pails to put out the small fires.

In less than half hour after the first alarm was turned in the walls began to fall. The house at No. 10 Fair street was crushed by the wind and fell. In this house lives Samuel Glesner and his family. The house was flattened by the wall of brick falling upon it. Fireman John Van Houghton, one of the firemen, was badly burned by falling from the building when the fire broke out. A house at No. 27 Liberty street was badly damaged by falling timbers. When the main wall fell it buried the tracks of the Pennsylvania Railroad and all traffic on that track was stopped for a time. A number of firemen had narrow escapes from being buried beneath the wall.

James Van Houghton of Co. 2 had a narrow escape early in the fire. He had gone to the roof searching for a position from which to direct a fire hose. The roof gave way while he was on it. When he fell it sinking he leaped to the gutter and threw himself over so as to hang from the gutter. The gutter was full of water, and he was hanging by his hands and arms. He was badly injured about the head and shoulders, but will recover.

Capt. Frank McCreer of the salvage corps was severely cut about the hands. Many firemen were also badly scorched and blistered by the heat. The origin of the fire is unknown. The burning of the Central Stamping Co., who are also interested in the stamping company. The company started on full time last week, employing 487 men.

LONDON MARKETS.

American Stocks Weak—A Rise in South Africans.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

LONDON, Aug. 11.—(By Atlantic Cable.) It has been a very quiet week in the stock market, except in the mining department, where the feature has been a rise of 7½ in chartered South Africans. These shares, which not long ago were quoted at a sovereign per share, are now expected to touch 10. All the Africans and the Western and Eastern Australian shares are booming on better reports of the gold output. Bulgarians, Chinese and Brazilians have been depressed. Argentines are firm. Americans were again weak on adverse rumors of an assessment on Erie. The failure of the Melbourne bank affected the market but little, as it was fully expected.

The following are the decreases for the week: Norfolk and Western, 2; Erie seconds, 1½; Northern Pacific preferred and Louisville and Nashville, 1; Union Pacific, 1, and others fractionally.

Wanted, Not Badly. DENVER (Col.) Aug. 11.—Chief Crowley of San Francisco has wired Chief Goulding of Denver that Thomas Costigan, a crook arrested here on Friday last, was wanted here on a charge of constructing a safe. He has brought back. Costigan, it is charged, stole a \$150 diamond stud from a San Francisco on the night of the Cliff Hotel. The Denver detective claim that Costigan stole \$30 in money and some gold valued at \$75 from W. E. Gray, a real estate dealer.

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THUNDER AND WASTE.

A LARGE TERRITORY SWEEP BY FLAMES.

Several shingle mills imperiled by the Forest Fires in Washington.

Residents of Summit Have a Thrilling Experience with the Conflagration.

Whiteman Claims a Conspiracy Exists Against Him—A Great Irrigation Scheme—Sutro Emulates Stanford—Notes.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

OLYMPIA (Wash.) Aug. 11.—The Associated Press representative returned this evening from the burned district near Summit, Wash. Much timber has been swept away, but unless heavy winds spring up, settlers feel confident that the worst is over. In the logging camps of Mason county men are still guarding against flying embers, while others are rebuilding burned-out camps.

The big fire reached about twelve miles from here, where the flames have full play, and are raging all the way to Elma over a large territory on both sides of the road. Several ranches are in danger, and occupants are using every means for protection from the flames. In most cases they are fighting fire with fire, and many of them have buried all their valuables, clothing, etc., in order to save them in case they are obliged to flee.

Several shingle mills are in imminent danger, the only hope of salvation being that the wind will not spring up before rain sets in. A small settlement supported by the shingle industry, had a most exciting experience. They say the flames came upon them with the speed of a racehorse. Men were forced into a mill to escape the fierce heat. One man in trying to save his household effects stayed by the mill, but tonight the smoke sought shelter, but finally he started to retreat, but fell between the house and the mill, and several men rushed out and dragged him to safety. Several houses were burned to the ground.

IN OTHER COUNTRIES.

TACOMA (Wash.) Aug. 11.—Campers who returned tonight report that ashes caused by forest fires are falling quite thick at Lemon's Beach on the Sound, four miles west of this city. Heavy fires are burning in that vicinity. Last night the western heavens seemed ablaze with the glare from fires about Olympia, but tonight the smoke is too thick to see the fires. South of the city fires are also burning. Some of the plank road leading to Fern Hill has been burned out. It is reported that the plank road is too thick to see the fires. South of the city fires are also burning. Some of the plank road leading to Fern Hill has been burned out. It is reported that the plank road is too thick to see the fires.

FIRES IN THE CASCADE MOUNTAINS have caused the office of North Yakima through the local land office to petition the Interior Department to have the mountains patrolled during the summer by a squad of men and a company of troops, sent out with a roving commission. The purpose is to stop the work of firebugs and preserve the Cascade forest from the ravages of fire. People of Central Washington are particularly interested in this, as the timber on the western mountain slope is the great wealth of the region. It is estimated that the Cascade forest contains some 100,000 acres of timber. The petition states that many of the fires are set from carelessness of mountaineers, and that some of it is believed, have been set by migrating sheepmen to enhance the growth of grass in future seasons.

A GREAT SCHEME.

The Colorado Desert to be Made a Fruit Ranch.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—The Examiner says the number of Eastern capitalists are in this city hard at work on a scheme which, if carried out, means the revolution of the fruit industry of the country and perhaps a business boom such as the State has never seen. The scheme is nothing less than the reclamation of the Colorado Desert by turning the waters of the Colorado River over it. It is only part of the great scheme. The company has a grant of 1,500,000 acres in Mexico. Blythe's famous principalities lies on its western edge and is proposed to turn part of the waters of the Colorado River into that immense development of the greatest irrigating system in the two Americas, and in the end, cheap fruit. The promoters evidently mean business, for they have just handed the Southern Pacific Company a check for \$1,500,000 in return for its title to the alternate sections of land in the Salton River. The land turned over footed up something like 600,000 acres. This purchase was decided on as the best method of forever settling any question that might arise over title.

Principally Eastern capital is behind the scheme. John C. Beatty, who has handled more land in the Southwest than any two men combined, is at the general manager of the scheme. He got the idea some twelve years ago by watching the efforts of Millionaire Blythe to colonize the Salton River. Grants. Interested with Beatty in the enterprise are such men as James Linton and Henry Pearce of Providence, R. I., and Henry McLean of New York.

The scheme has started ten years ago, and constant hard work during all that time has simply brought it to the present stage, where the work of turning the soil for the canal has just begun. Over \$50,000 was spent in surveys before the promoters were assured they could carry out the irrigation system contemplated. The hard battle had to be fought in Congress to capture certain government lands that were absolutely essential to the success of the plan. Agreements had to be made with the Mexican government and big corporations that held certain rights on the American side. All those obstacles have been cleared away, at last, and now laborers are at work on the first section of the canal. If all goes well, the water will be running in 18 before the end of next year.

The company has figured that within a few years it will have at least 300,000 farmers on its lands. This will mean the hands of the canal have been increased business for that section of the country. The company is on the eve of sending agents through all the Eastern States with a view of getting colonists. Colonizing the irrigable land in ten-acre patches or more does not and the scheme by any means. A system of stores will be opened, through the valley and goods will be sold to the colonists at a figure barely above cost.

The products of the soil will be handled by a company of which each settler may become a member and reap the benefits. It is so-operative in principle. By this means it is expected that special rates can be obtained from the railroad company as well as a special fruit train to the East every day.

By securing the throwing of this 1,500,000-acre scheme of irrigable land on the market means a good deal to the farmers

of the United States, and especially to those of California. Those who are behind the scheme believe that anything can be raised there with water. The supply of the Colorado River is almost inexhaustible. In the months of April, May, June and July the big irrigation canals, the river carries 70,000 to 100,000 cubic feet every second. That means about a million gallons every twenty-four hours, a cubic foot per second for every 250 acres. The notices published the other day sent the Yuma Indian reservation was being surveyed for allotment among the Indians is part of this big scheme, though very few people had any notion of it.

The original plan of the capitalists was to take the waters of the Colorado River into Mexico and use them to irrigate the Mexican farms. In examining the banks of the river for a suitable point to tap the stream the engineers hit upon a place on the Yuma reservation. It is a good rocky foundation found in the ascent of the river. It fitted their purpose so well that no other survey was needed. The company has spent \$1,000,000 in the construction of each of those dams. By getting the reservation the company saved this expenditure and obtained a safe and natural place to tap the river.

CLAIMS A CONSPIRACY.

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HE'S A VERY BAD MAN.

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Called Her Names, Threatened Her Nose and Face, Made Her Swear Out His Store and Varied the Programme by Making Faces at Her.

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DENVER, Aug. 11.—Probably very few friends of the family of Atty.-Gen. Harmon are aware of the fact that his brother-in-law, Charles Harrison Scobee, formerly of Denver and now of Chicago, has been accused of being a very cruel man. Scobee is a brother of the wife of Gen. Harmon and his own wife, Nettie E. Scobee, makes a serious charge against him, or at least she had made it in a divorce suit filed in the county court in May last.

CONFESSED HIS CRIME.

Tom Coughlin Owes Up to Having Killed His Partner.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

SAN MIGUEL, Aug. 11.—Deputy Sheriff Nesbitt has taken Tom Coughlin to San Luis Obispo. Coughlin acknowledges that he killed his partner, Charles F. Milan, whose body was found partially cremated near Cholame. Coughlin refuses to make any further statement. He is charged with the killing. The coroner found that Milan had been shot through the head, and that the skull had been smashed by some blunt instrument.

SUTRO EMULATES STANFORD.

An Offer of Land for the Affiliated Colleges.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—Adolph Sutro, Mayor of San Francisco, has offered the State University regents thirty acres of land within the city limits on which to erect buildings for the affiliated colleges of the university. In addition to this he will deed to the Trustees of the city thirteen acres adjoining as a site for the Sutro library of over two hundred thousand rare volumes.

A HORRIBLE SIGHT.

A Vancouver Man Mangled by a Railroad Train.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Aug. 11.—Persons awaiting the arrival of the Pacific coast at the railway station today witnessed a horrible sight. Just as the train was approaching the platform a man was seen to step right onto the track. He was caught by the pilot and pushed aside, but a wheel of the engine went over his leg, completely severing it just below the knee, while the base of the skull was fractured. The man's name is Slade. He is not expected to live. It is thought to be a case of suicide.

AN EXTRAORDINARY CLASS.

Five Hundred and Fifty Freshmen at Berkeley's Class.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

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Death of the Veteran Editor of the Arizonian.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

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Towed Out to Sea.

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AT THE CROSSING.

A Party of Pleasure-seekers Run Down by a Train.

(REGULAR ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.)

SYRACUSE (N. Y.) Aug. 11.—A Sunday excursion train on the Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg railroad struck a party of pleasure-seekers, consisting of James M. Northrop, a speculator, his wife and four-year-old child, at the Marsh-road crossing today, fatally injuring Mrs. Northrop and seriously injuring both of the other members of the party.

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Sunday Games at Other Points—Loud Comment on the Yachts—Bicycleist Suspended.

Baseball Magnates.

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OUR NEAR NEIGHBOR.

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CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 11.—Great apprehension is felt in all the west coast ports regarding the continued ravages of yellow fever in Central American seaports. All vessels recently arriving from Central America have been treated as suspicious, principally those from Acapulco and Ocosingo.

The American Surety Company of New York has opened a branch here according to the terms of a liberal charter recently granted it. The company will insure government employees and government bonds for contractors, besides doing a private business.

Due cause has been found for holding Lansberg, the alleged lover of Emma Thorn, the manner of whose death is in dispute.

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A BOX-CAR BATTLE.

Three Stonecutters Attacked by Three Tramps—Three Men Shot.

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ASHTABULA (O.) Aug. 11.—Six men had a desperate battle in a boxcar between Erie, Pa., and this place last night. Three stonecutters, named respectively H. G. Eastley, Bert Smith and John Mohrhardt, boarded the train at Erie to come to Aftabula. At a water-tank three tramps entered the car. When the train had got under way again two of the tramps drew revolvers and asked the men to hand over what money they had.

Smith had a revolver and showed it to the two tramps. A battle between the two tramps was in progress. Eastley was shot through the groin, Smith received a wound in the neck and one of the tramps was killed through his neck. On the arrival of the train here the wounded men were cared for



Southern California has had a union meet of bicycle clubs, and it was a grand success. It was more so than the annual meet of the Associated Cycling Clubs of Northern California at Miles Canyon, some weeks ago.

Yesterday, over a hundred wheelmen gathered at Pomona from fifty miles around, ate dinner together, were photographed, and then held a good-roads meeting, and organized the Southern California Associated Bicycle Clubs.

The Roamers' Road Club of this city and the Riverside Wheelmen of Riverside arranged a union run to Pomona for August 11, through its secretary, some weeks ago.

The object of the gathering was to get better acquainted and pave the way for an annual meet of the clubs of Southern California at some central point, for social benefit.

It could not have been a greater success, unless San Diego and Santa Barbara had sent a delegation. Nearly all the other Southern California towns were represented.

As early as 7 o'clock yesterday morning, the people of Pomona were on the streets watching for the arrival of the visiting wheelmen. But as the hundred odd riders, except those from Ontario, had to ride over from thirty to sixty miles, had roads to reach the rendezvous, all did not arrive until after 10 o'clock.

The Roamers' Road Club had invited the East Side Cycling Club of this city and the Crown City Cycling Club of Pasadena. The Riverside Wheelmen had, as their guests, the Redlands Cycling Club and the San Bernardino Cycling Club.

The Roamers and East Siders left Los Angeles soon after 8 o'clock, and in the Puente hills retraced the Pasadena club, which had ridden direct from Pasadena, through San Gabriel, and were halting to repair a punctured tire. This made a party of nearly forty wheelmen.

A mile outside of Pomona Messrs. Parker and Patrick of Pomona, and Messrs. of Los Angeles met the Roamers and their guests, and took them into the city along the railroad foot-path.

Through the main streets of Pomona to the Hotel Calaveras, the Roamers, East Siders and Pasadena rode, abreast, led by the local escort, while the people along the way welcomed them.

At the Calaveras were found riders from Riverside, Ontario, Redlands, San Bernardino, Perris, South Riverside, and other towns until the whole number was between one and two hundred.

Dinner was partaken of after the dusty riders had cooled off and got rid of a good share of the dirt picked up on the road.

Before this large party of wheelmen had fairly dismounted they were photographed, and after dinner the party again posed before a row of cameras, big and little, in groups, by clubs and in motion.

Then the clubmen assembled in the parlors of the Calaveras and held a quiet but enthusiastic good-roads meeting. Robert Gray, president of the Ontario Wheelmen, was chosen chairman, and S. C. Gray of the Redlands Cycling Club, secretary.

The Southern California Associated Bicycle Clubs has proposed and partially organized a union of the California Associated Cycling Clubs of Northern California, and similar organizations.

Chairman Gray appointed two joint committees, which are to meet in Los Angeles and Riverside, respectively, on Saturday evening, August 14, the former composed of one member each from the Western or Coast clubs, and the latter of a member from each of the eastern or inland clubs.

These meetings are for consultation and to outline plans for the annual convention on September 9 at Riverside, before the annual race meet, and after the big Riverside road race is run. Each club in Southern California will be asked to elect delegates to this Riverside meeting to form the first board of governors of the Southern California Associated Bicycle Clubs.

The meeting extended a vote of thanks to the promoters of the Bicycle Road Association of Los Angeles, which is to be formally organized in this city next Thursday evening, as already related in The Times.

Then the tracks were discussed. Treasurer Hill of the Crown City Cycling Club told about the new tracks, Messrs. Cobb and Logan of the Riverside Wheelmen explained their new track. The secretary of the San Bernardino Club briefly related what had been done on the new track of that club, and Clarke of Anaheim spoke of the Santa Ana bicycle track. The Santa Monica track was also mentioned, and a big money-making scheme. The proposed track at Ontario also came in for discussion. Then the meeting adjourned until September 9 at Riverside.

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L. A. W. NATIONAL MEET.

Where it will be located in the Year Ninety-six.

In regard to the national meet of the L. A. W. in 1896, the Referee has the following to say:

"Boston, or rather her associated cycling club, does not want the national meet for 1896, notwithstanding all statements to the contrary. The association feels somewhat piqued at the treatment accorded the invitation at the last two national assemblies, and not being a believer in begging for such a favor, which carries with it an inestimable amount of labor, will make no effort whatever to secure that plum."

"Syacuse, taking advantage of Boston's indifference pertaining to the next

national meet of the league, has come out openly with the declaration that, 'hot as the strife was last year for this honor, she would make a grand struggle to obtain the majority of votes at the next national assembly.'

Toledo, O., has already made a bid for the meet and now Louisville and Cleveland are in the race. The Louisville people point to their fine track, thoroughbred horses, good tobacco, the Mammoth Cave and 'Kentucky's hospitality' as inducements. Toledo is too well known as a race-promoting city, entertaining town to need lauding, and the activity of Cleveland's wheelmen is so great that that place can hold its own."

IMPROVED HIGHWAYS.

Good Work Accomplished by the Bicycle.

There is no question but what the era of good roads has been advanced a decade and a half by the bicycle. Wheelmen commenced the agitation of the subject and kept plugging away at it in the face of the most discouraging conditions until at last it has become general, although the advance has not been made by the bicycle alone.

People whom it would benefit the most, the agriculturists, have been the most difficult to convince. They have fought the bicycle fiercely and bitterly and have not abandoned the fight until nearly all the other Southern California towns were represented.

As early as 7 o'clock yesterday morning, the people of Pomona were on the streets watching for the arrival of the visiting wheelmen. But as the hundred odd riders, except those from Ontario, had to ride over from thirty to sixty miles, had roads to reach the rendezvous, all did not arrive until after 10 o'clock.

The Roamers' Road Club had invited the East Side Cycling Club of this city and the Crown City Cycling Club of Pasadena. The Riverside Wheelmen had, as their guests, the Redlands Cycling Club and the San Bernardino Cycling Club.

The Roamers and East Siders left Los Angeles soon after 8 o'clock, and in the Puente hills retraced the Pasadena club, which had ridden direct from Pasadena, through San Gabriel, and were halting to repair a punctured tire. This made a party of nearly forty wheelmen.

A mile outside of Pomona Messrs. Parker and Patrick of Pomona, and Messrs. of Los Angeles met the Roamers and their guests, and took them into the city along the railroad foot-path.

Through the main streets of Pomona to the Hotel Calaveras, the Roamers, East Siders and Pasadena rode, abreast, led by the local escort, while the people along the way welcomed them.

At the Calaveras were found riders from Riverside, Ontario, Redlands, San Bernardino, Perris, South Riverside, and other towns until the whole number was between one and two hundred.

Dinner was partaken of after the dusty riders had cooled off and got rid of a good share of the dirt picked up on the road.

Before this large party of wheelmen had fairly dismounted they were photographed, and after dinner the party again posed before a row of cameras, big and little, in groups, by clubs and in motion.

Then the clubmen assembled in the parlors of the Calaveras and held a quiet but enthusiastic good-roads meeting. Robert Gray, president of the Ontario Wheelmen, was chosen chairman, and S. C. Gray of the Redlands Cycling Club, secretary.

The Southern California Associated Bicycle Clubs has proposed and partially organized a union of the California Associated Cycling Clubs of Northern California, and similar organizations.

Chairman Gray appointed two joint committees, which are to meet in Los Angeles and Riverside, respectively, on Saturday evening, August 14, the former composed of one member each from the Western or Coast clubs, and the latter of a member from each of the eastern or inland clubs.

These meetings are for consultation and to outline plans for the annual convention on September 9 at Riverside, before the annual race meet, and after the big Riverside road race is run. Each club in Southern California will be asked to elect delegates to this Riverside meeting to form the first board of governors of the Southern California Associated Bicycle Clubs.

The meeting extended a vote of thanks to the promoters of the Bicycle Road Association of Los Angeles, which is to be formally organized in this city next Thursday evening, as already related in The Times.

Then the tracks were discussed. Treasurer Hill of the Crown City Cycling Club told about the new tracks, Messrs. Cobb and Logan of the Riverside Wheelmen explained their new track. The secretary of the San Bernardino Club briefly related what had been done on the new track of that club, and Clarke of Anaheim spoke of the Santa Ana bicycle track. The Santa Monica track was also mentioned, and a big money-making scheme. The proposed track at Ontario also came in for discussion. Then the meeting adjourned until September 9 at Riverside.

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On my return I am rubbed down and go to supper at which I eat what I desire. I go to bed at 9:30 o'clock, and thus my day is concluded."

Local Sporting Gossip.

A strong effort is to be made to secure for Southern California's new bicycle tracks the big field of Eastern racing, which will train somewhere during the coming winter and spring. San Jose already has the promise of four of the national teams.

Willard J. Edwards, after several farewells, is again training for track races and will appear at the annual Ad-mission-day races of the Garden City cyclists at San Jose. He is the holder of the mile straightaway world's record, his time being 1:34 1/4.

California has more bicycle tracks than all the rest of America. San Diego tennis players are putting

in long hours in practice and several of them hope to become the Coast champions.

Football should be boomed in Southern California now that all the new bicycle tracks are to have their in-fields prepared for the gridiron.

There is good timber for a football team in Los Angeles, Riverside, Redlands and several other Southern California cities will have strong teams. Los Angeles should not be behind hand in preparing to meet these new teams.

Redlands is arranging to follow the example of Riverside, San Bernardino, Santa Ana and Pasadena and have a third of a mile bicycle track of its own. The road to Pasadena is very bad. It could be put in good condition for bicycles and wagons at a small cost. The game of croquet is popular at Ontario. The town has many players of high standard.

What has become of the Valley Hunt Club's sports?

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police can stop it in the first round, and arrest the fighters, and thus bring the matter to the courts, with every one willing to expedite matters, a decision could soon be reached.

I read a brief dispatch in the New York papers, said Court when asked for his opinion of the Governor's action, "in which it was stated that such a proclamation had been issued, but that is the extent of my knowledge. I am under contract to Dan Stuart and Joe Vendig of the Florida Athletic Club, and will abide by their instructions. Dan Stuart seemed to be very confident of his ability to pull the fight off in Texas, surely he could not have overlooked the Governor in the matter. Either the Governor is a fool, or Gov. Culberson seemed to warrant Stuart's confidence, and I am still inclined to believe that Dan has something up his sleeve."

Bob Fitzsimmons is training at Coney Island. He showed no particular concern when told of the action of the Governor in issuing a proclamation prohibiting prize-fighting, and in reply to a question said he felt confident the fight would come off. "I am preparing to fight, and don't bother my head about the business details any more. This thing will come out all right in the end, I believe."

BETS ON THE GREAT FIGHT.

Legal Decisions Do Not Affect the Odds Offered.

Gov. Culberson's edict, adverse to pugilistic contests in the State of Texas, does not seem to have had much effect on the sports, who take a deep interest in pugilism in the vicinity of New Orleans, where all believe in Dan Stuart's ability to bring off the big fight at Dallas, Tex.

As "side shows" the O'Donnell and Maher and Ryan-Smith fights have also engaged the interest of the sporting fraternity.

In the uptown hotels of New York city the lovers of pugilism, who never lose an opportunity to bet on a sporting event, be it man, horse or dog, gather together and discuss the pros and cons as to the possibility of Stuart's scheme coming on top.

Word has been received from New Orleans that pools had been established in New Orleans, Louisville, Hot Springs, Memphis, Galveston, Jacksonville, Atlanta, Pittsburgh, Philadelphia, Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Richmond, San Francisco, Denver, St. Paul, Pueblo, Salt Lake City, El Paso, Chattanooga, Detroit, Toledo, Columbus, Indianapolis, Boston and New York, where the following pools have been obtained: Four hundred to 600 on Corbett, 400 to 500 on Fitzsimmons, 600 to 700 on O'Donnell, 700 to 800 on Maher, 400 to 500 on Ryan, 400 to 500 on Smith, 400 to 500 on the Corbett-Fitzsimmons bout does not last twenty rounds, and 400 to 500 that it exceeds twenty rounds; 400 to 500 that the O'Donnell-Maher bout does not last twenty rounds, and 400 to 500 that it exceeds twenty rounds.

Combination betting, 400 to 100 Corbett to win and pick out the other two winners; 300 to 100 Fitzsimmons to win and pick the other two winners.

Sporting Notes.

Zeigler, the Californian, is very much outwitted in the East.

Jimmy Balvin did not last long in the umpiring harness. He has been released by President Young.

Corbett has been offered \$5000 to train at Rockport, Tex., for his fight with Fitzsimmons, and it is probable that he will accept.

Yale's famous pitcher, Carter, announces that he is permanently out of baseball. He will act as Yale's coach next season.

Louisville has won eighteen games so far this season. This is one game more than the Philadelphia club won the entire season of 1893.

Jimmy Ryan of Chicago says he would not be an umpire for \$1000 a year. But Jimmy doesn't know what it is to be financially distressed and unemployed.

John S. Barnes, the deposed magnate of the world's prize-fighting, is now an umpire in the Michigan State League. His first game in which he officiated was protested.

A prominent London sporting man of the name of John Jackson, against whom James J. Corbett in a recent fight won \$10,000, the match to come off in London in January or February next.

Anson, not being as spry as of yore, is being hit very frequently these days by pitched balls. If this sort of thing continues he will, instead of going on the stage, have to go into a museum.

Delahanty of the Philadelphia team is a very valuable man to any team. He is an outfielder, but in case of necessity he can play in any position, and could also go behind the bat in a pinch. "Del" started out as a backstop.

It takes a minor league baseball patron to see the lightning-change artist at his best. In the minor leagues, for instance, more than one player is ready with two or more clubs, and the season is just at its meridian.

"Chapman" Moran, a boxer who caused a hubbub among the bantams several years ago in New York and Boston, until Tommy Kelly, the "Harlem Spider," refused him, coming to this country again to try his fortune in the ring.

Driver Dustin says that Directon still in Detroit, and will remain there until shipped to Chicago for treatment. The trouble is a ruptured sheath of a tendon, and it will take a week or two at least for nature to repair the damage.

Thomas R. Dewar, head of the Distillers' Association of London, Eng., is backing an enterprise for the introduction of champion baseball into Great Britain this fall. He wants the leaders of the game of the championship season in the United States to make the tour.

Doubtless James H. O'Rourke is the wealthiest of all the baseball players who have been able to retire on the money made through the game. Many ball-players become rich after leaving the game, but O'Rourke took good care to make his money.

With Directly, Diablo, Silkwood, W. Wood, Waldo J. and Seymour Wilkes all contesting for first place in the free-for-all ocean and beach game. Many claim that the Los Angeles meeting, it is predicted that at least \$50,000 will be made from all parts of this Coast to see it.

In view of the poor showing of the Baltimore team in the recent Western trip, a Baltimore critic makes the following comment: "Little drops of water, little grains of sand, make the mighty ocean and the beautiful land. Little drops like those of the Orioles only make us tired."

The gameness of the Elctoneers is being exemplified more strongly every day. Last season, Monroe Salisbury claimed that Expressive, Alvin and Azote demonstrated this fact, while this year Bouncer, El Ramo, Seylax and Azote are carrying that standard most nobly.

President Young's latest decision is to this effect: "The umpire at the plate, who judges balls and strikes, has charge of the game and has the sole power of terminating a game on account of darkness. The other umpire is his assistant and has charge of the plays on the bases."

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Walter Carter, the famous Yale pitcher, announces that he has burned his old uniform and quit the diamond for good. He will now settle down to the study of law, his nearest. This earnestness will be seriously impaired when the team takes the field next spring. While Carter is not eligible to play, his services as a coach will be invaluable.

There is trouble in the Rey at Santa Anita stable, and there is a strong probability of a new trainer being secured to replace Sam Hildreth. The latter's contract with the stable does not expire until October 1, but the dissatisfaction between the parties has reached that point that they are willing to part at once.

A New York Judge in sentencing a prisoner said: "The sooner you truckmen and all others who appear to take delight in annoying those who ride the street cars, the better it will be for you. As punishment will follow in every case where molestation or insult is proved."

The black face is a case of "I'm saddest when I sing." Some dancers look perfectly miserable, and of course a few bicyclers appear as though they were not happy, but both are enjoying themselves hugely. There is no accounting for the tastes. Some people just delight in haunting a graveyard. They are mournfully festive in a cemetery, and enjoy the solemn picnic.

A member of the Baltimore team is never criticised by his fellow-players for making an error. If there is no excuse for his misplay the others soon find one for him and his misplay is forgotten. He jolly him along and make him forget his misplay. This same spirit is manifested in the conduct of the Blues toward each other. The boys all unite in helping each other.

The record of the greatest distance in a day for the year was made by two Boston birds, Sully and Tommy, in the journey from Buffalo to Boston. The start was of four birds from Buffalo at 7:01 o'clock. The return was to the loft of Henry Wagner in Roslyn at 4:05 the same afternoon. Counting the distance of 400 miles, the average speed would be about 1300 yards a minute.

The Capital Colored All-Americans, formerly "The Page Fence Giants," have been reorganized and will go to England on October 1. While abroad the crack colored team will play several exhibition games with Barnes Minneapolis Club, which is also going to England. The club will leave Lansing, Mich., on September 15 and intend playing games en route to New York.

There were probably more races among harness horses last week than ever before in the history of racing. That is, of an opponent, the generally racing of trotters in a bad way have but to turn to the turf papers and note the enormous list of meetings reported each day to find a conclusive argument against the idea that there is no longer a good demand for fast harness horses.

The contract for the building of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons amphitheater at Dallas, Tex., has been let. The plans and specifications call for a seating capacity of \$2,500. It will be a permanent structure, built by a joint stock company of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight. The Florida Athletic Club will not erect a building as first announced. This is to avoid injunction proceedings.

Proficiency at hitting the flying bag is coming to be no small item in the boxer's repertoire. An expert of rat-tat-tat, at smiling, ducking and occasionally looking fierce mimic signs of what the displayer would do to some poor thing of an opponent, the generally object of considerable interest, providing there is nothing stiffer to be offered in the same line.

Match races between great horses are all right if the horses come to the score in racing form. But it is a death blow to trotting-turf sport to start two star performers against each other when one or both are out of racing form. In such case the race proves to be an abortion, and disgusts the public with the horses that start, their owners and the trotting-turf in general.

A series of cocking mains of twelve days' duration will be pulled off, together with the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight at Dallas, during the State Fair. An amphitheater with a seating capacity of 2500 or 3000 will be provided for this sport. Georgia, Michigan and Missouri will send birds, it is said. Indiana changed Texas to a main of twenty-one events and this challenge will be accepted by Henry Nussbaumer of Dallas.

Just now in the grand circuit turf followers are looking for something to bet Azote in the free-for-all and Klamath in his class. They have not been able to find a competitor. Many think that Klamath can give Azote an argument greater than he has yet had in the free-for-all. Klamath has disposed of William Penn and all of the wonderful trotters in his class with great ease. The California horse may be the surprise of the season.

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GRANITE COUNTY. SOLOMONVILLE, Aug. 8.-(Regular Correspondence.) A rancher named A. J. Smith, at Duncan, was murdered for purposes of robbery, probably to take his horse in the Rio Grande country, and was returning, driving alone. Monday he was found dead in his wagon, and one of the horses taken from the wagon. He had been dead for three or more when found. It is thought his murderer followed him from the Rio Grande. His life was insured.

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A MAD DOG VICTIM. Dist. Atty. Jones was bitten by a pup last Friday, the wound drawing blood in several places. He thought little of it until Sunday, when he saw the pup die in convulsions from the effects of water. He then recalled that the dog had not acted right when he was bitten. He will go to Chicago for the Pasteur treatment.

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ASSESSMENTS RAISED. The assessor says his returns a month ago at \$1,000,000, or \$200,000 less than the assessment of year ago. The Board of Equalization got at the assessments, and there was an impartial elevation that made a difference of about half a million dollars. The assessment last year was completed, and shows the property of Graham county to be valued at \$1,833,666.54. This is an increase over 1894 valuations of \$275,000.

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A Sydney, N. S. W., dispatch says that two more old boats of the British steamer Cathorn, which ran on the seal rocks between Sydney and Brisbane, have been found broken up.

A Washington dispatch says that information was received by Acting Secretary Adee of the State Department yesterday, showing that the Turkish government had before the United States acted in the matter, taken steps to investigate the attack on St. Paul's College in Taras.

A Liverpool cablegram says that the police arrested on Saturday on board the steamer Etruria, an American lady booked for New York. She was booked under the alias of a beauty, and was carrying with her a large quantity of jewelry valued at \$2000 from Mrs. Gibbons of Richmond, London, whose guest she was during July, under the name of Millie Millet. The jewelry was recovered.

A Plattsburg, N. Y., dispatch says that the closing week of the Catholic summer school was begun yesterday with a sermon on Catholicism by Rev. T. S. Byrne, bishop of Nashville, Tenn. Saturday evening a reception was tendered Bishop Byrne in the school building by the school board, and nearly two thousand people. This week's programme consists of lectures by Rev. James A. Doonan of Boston on "The History of the Church," by Rev. St. Albans, Vt., on "French Colonization," and by Woollett of Boston on "Shakespeare and the Drama."

OHIO DEMOCRATS. Movement to Nominate McMahon of Dayton for Senator. CINCINNATI, Aug. 11.-Democratic leaders throughout the Miami Valley have started a movement to nominate John A. McMahon of Dayton at the Democratic State convention in Springfield next week. Since the county convention of yesterday it is claimed that Senator Brice's friends will control the convention, and probably go further than to reaffirm the platform of 1892.

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Dr. Minnie Wells, No. 2341 Thompson street, between Scott and Toberman.

The oldest people in Los Angeles take their meals at the Koester Cafe.

The remains of Lewis Shaw were forwarded yesterday by Kregolo & Breese to Detroit, Mich., for interment.

George Hopkins, who gained some notoriety as a ward politician, had his jaw broken while in a fight at Redondo yesterday.

B. B. McIntyre was lodged in the County Jail yesterday on a charge of grand larceny. He was brought from Redondo by Constable Brookshire.

The Times press will be in operation, between 8 and 8:30 o'clock tonight, printing the first part of the Midsummer Number. The press-room will be open to visitors.

Thomas Gold was brought to the County Jail from Fresno by Deputy United States Marshal Goodrich yesterday. He is charged with selling liquor to Indians.

A dwelling-house occupied by Mrs. Dougherty was damaged to the extent of \$50 by a fire shortly before 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The department promptly extinguished the blaze. Incendiaries are suspected.

The funeral of William S. Rogers will take place today at 2 p.m. from his late residence, No. 417 West 5th street, under the auspices of Pentapolis Lodge, No. 202, F. and A. M. Funeral Director C. D. Howry in charge.

George Reed, Esq., allowed his black charger, Midnight, to escape from him Saturday evening. The animal had on a saddle and bridle. Diligent search Saturday night and all day Sunday failed to bring Mr. Reed any tidings of his pet.

The funeral of Mr. Hight, late assistant United States District Attorney, was held yesterday afternoon, with impressive ceremonies, from the undertaking parlors of Kregolo & Breese, Coeur de Leon Commandery, Knights Templars, attended in uniform. The interment was at Rosedale.

PERSONALS.

E. E. Knepper, editor of the Santa Barbara Press, spending short vacation in this city and Monterey.

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AN OBJECTING HEIR.

A Difficulty Arises in Settling the Den Estate.

From present indications it is believed that the settlement of the estate of the late Dr. Den will not be as easy as has been supposed. One of the heirs has come forward with an objection which, it is thought, will upset the calculations of the other heirs.

It seems that an application was filed Saturday in the usual form, asking that Juan Forster be appointed administrator of the estate. The application recites that he has been requested by the several heirs to act in that capacity, and that that request has been granted. It is shown by an accompanying request to that effect signed by each of them. The application further states that Alfonso L. Den has asked permission to withdraw his name from the request to have Mr. Forster appointed administrator.

This leaves the matter of Mr. Forster's appointment open, and it may be decided within ten days. The male heirs are Alfonso L. Den (the objector), Emanuel R. Den, John Bell and Augustus Den. The female heirs are Mrs. T. R. Moore, Mrs. John Bell and Mrs. Susana Tyler. All of the heirs are sons and daughters of the late Nicholas Den of Santa Barbara, who was a brother of Dr. R. S. Den.

Alfonso L. Den arrived in the city from Santa Barbara yesterday afternoon, accompanied by his attorney. He would say little of his connection with the distribution of the estate, but he thought the position of administrator ought to go to some one of the family, instead of to a person outside of it. His attorney, however, on personal objections to Mr. Forster. As to what action he proposed to take in the matter he declined to state. He did not go so far as to say the signatures of the heirs to the request had been obtained through fraud, but he intimated they had been secured by means not entirely above board.

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FUNERAL NOTICE.

A special meeting of Pentapolis Lodge, No. 202, F. and A. M., will be held Monday, August 13, 1895, at 1 o'clock p.m., to attend the funeral of Brother William Spencer Rogers.

W. W. ROBINSON, Secretary.

DEATH RECORD.

WILLIAM—At N. 7424 South Spring street, Paul W. Will, aged 21 years.

Funeral services will be held at the parlors of Kregolo & Breese this (Monday) morning at 10 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend.

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PULPITS AND PEWS.

POINTS ON SUNDAY SERVICES IN CITY CHURCHES.

Rev. Dr. Wallace's Discourse on "The Dual Power Controlling Human Development."

Superintendent Mason of the Pacific Gospel Union Speaks of Salvation Through Faith.

Interesting Services Held by the Young Men's and Young Women's Christian Associations.

Despite the rush to the seashore yesterday there were good audiences at most of the city churches. Among the discourses and services of especial interest were the following:

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL.

A very good audience greeted Rev. Dr. Wallace upon his second appearance in this pulpit yesterday. The decorations evidenced an artistic hand in arrangement, and the music was of the usual high order. The theme of the sermon, "The Dual Power Controlling Human Development," was based on these words, found in Ezekiel 1, 24: "When they stood, they let down their wings." In all men's conceptions of God, said the speaker, "there is a strange mingling of truth and fancy, of the mythology of the Greeks and Romans there flashes upon one something of the supernatural in their impersonations of the gods and goddesses, yet these are really the men and the women of the time in which this faith had its origin. Jupiter, that is, a man, endowed with an omnipotence to do that which men by nature accomplish or desire to accomplish."

The speaker had so exalted an idea of the greatness of the deity, the wisdom, and the power of God as now; the thought has expanded and deepened with the lapse of the years since Jesus drew aside the veil that hid Deity, and revealed its intimate connection with humanity. The same truth is hidden in the vision that came to the prophet by the River of Chebar, in the mysterious beings, whose wings could touch the heavens, while their feet rested upon the earth, with another no less impressive, that as they stood, they let down their wings; that is, while they rested with the earthly, they lost the touch of the heavenly.

Man is not only ideally, but inherently, a being of progress. From the very nature of his spirit ever at work in nature, struggles and strives against its imprisoning envelopes until the tiny seed gives promise of the majestic tree to crown its untrammeled future progress; as the seed, buried in darkness and chill, is "ever upward stirring" toward the perfection and beauty of the flower, so man is beating against his opposing environments, eager to rise toward his highest possibilities. Never more than now has the cry sounded so clearly, "More light; give us the day," although the story of our race has been that of a reaching after what is possible for it. In the history of the past, some great thoughts were born, some great accomplishments, but though these succeeded dreary periods of darkness, these remained, beacon lights to guide and to encourage, whose glow has never been extinguished.

"The student of the orbs above us perceives that they not only swing in their mighty sweep about their central sun, and revolve each upon its own axis, but that all planets, suns and systems obey higher motion, and sweep onward toward a more distant and more stupendous center; so man in his progress, who is satisfied with nothing less than God, 'I shall be satisfied when I awake in the likeness of Christ,' he stands and lets down his wings. The conflict of the ages in every line has ever been between progress and a tendency to remain at rest, satisfied with present attainments. Highly-civilized nations are those which have used their wings, those who have retrograded are they who have used only their feet. Korea cut but a small figure in the recent war between retrograded China and enterprising Japan; it was the inevitable conflict between progress and inertia.

China, folded its wings and slept, and awoke to the surprise of finding itself vanquished by its neighbor, whom it had, in the self-conceit of those whose feet touch only the earth, held in supreme contempt. "The law of progress in the individual is varied in its development by the difference in his endowments. I cannot tell why yonder bird is a sparrow, and that one which cleaves the air with mighty wing is an eagle; nor can I explain why one man is refined, responsive to culture, delicate perception, while another is stolid and coarse and spiritually blind. Yet each, in his own sphere, has his work; his feet touch the earth, but his wings may expand in some degree, each in his own responsive law of progress, and helpful to the other. The artist seeking shelter from the rain beside the forge of the stalwart smith, slinging his hammer, caught between the strokes of his brother of coarser mold an echo of divine harmonies, which he gave to the world in the wonderful music of his 'An Chor,' which lives to charm the ear and cheer the heart for all time.

And there is a place in the world for the creative man of all useful professions and none their feet, the balance would be disturbed, and men experience a feeling of loneliness as they progressed away from human touch with earthly things.

"In too many individual lives there is a tendency to be content with today, with no thought or care for tomorrow; to fold the wings and stultify progress with present conceptions of truth. There is a ferment in the realm of religion, a ferment because men are content with the attainments of the past and present, while God is pushing them on to higher thought and grander ideals. Ancient rituals and systems of religious worship have served their purpose and must retire before the wider conception and grander thought of an era that never goes backward. Drop the tear over the past if you will, but remember that the future has greater things for you, if your wings do not remain folded in the present.

"The great unanswered question for each one is, what will you do with this gift of progress illimitable, glorious, which God has entrusted to you? It is an awful truth, man has power to fold his wings and stultify a future, which will envelop him in dense darkness in time and in the eternities. Great things are great because they live in great thoughts. Because the artist of all time because of his glorious conception of the transfiguration. In his own dying hour he directed his eye to his own embodied thought, the face of helpless humanity pointing to the powerful Christ. Ah! humanity needs Christ; it has narrowed its possibilities, it has made its wings steadily toward Him its progress will be eternal, nearer and ever nearer toward God, His source and center.

PACIFIC GOSPEL UNION.

Superintendent C. S. Mason spoke Sunday evening from the text, Ephesians 11, 8: 'For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God; not of works lest any man should boast.' The question, 'Are you saved?' starts a train of thoughts. 'Saved? Why, I lost!' God answers, yes. The high-

way of holiness is the way to heaven, and man has lost his first estate, and can get back to innocence and purity only through faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.

Many souls have been blessed the past few days. The midnight meeting on Alameda street by six devoted Christian workers, is accomplishing great good. The officers report less arrests, and some of the men are leading better lives, who were, before, drinkers and disturbers of the peace. Thousands are conducted on Sundays by six Godly women.

The relief work of the mission continues, and there is renewed activity all along the line. Tomorrow night the Emanuel Presbyterian Christian Endeavor Society has an evening service at the mission hall, No. 323 East Second street.

Y.W.C.A. GOSPEL MEETING.

The gospel meeting of the Young Women's Christian Association was held at the rooms of the association, No. 107 North Spring street, yesterday afternoon. A song service was conducted by the church. Oliver and prayer was offered by Mrs. Mathews. The services consisted of a Bible reading by Mrs. L. E. Arnold of the University of California, on the subject of "House-building." Mrs. Arnold said "all not only may build, but must build, are building houses for time and eternity. They must choose the manner and material."

The following reference are the frame work upon which Mrs. Arnold based her remarks: I Corinthians, 13: 2; Isaiah, xlviii, 16; 1 Peter, 2: 5; Ephesians, 11, 20; 1 Corinthians, 11, 2; Proverbs, xvi, 16; James, 1, 5; Luke, 11, 50; 1 Corinthians, 11, 5; Colossians, 1, 6; James, 1, 16; Revelations, 11, xix, 17; 1 Corinthians, xlii, 13.

These references exemplified all the parts of the house that we have to build, and the graces wherewith we should adorn it and furnish it. The beautiful qualities of hope, good works, knowledge, kindness, meekness, and, greatest of all, love should ornament and make radiant this house that we build for our Master, and that should be in any of the opposite qualities, such as malice, bitterness, anger or evil-speaking allowed to mar the purity and beauty of our structure.

In closing, Mrs. Arnold said: "We all have great need of wise counsel, and this, the great Master Builder, will give us if we ask for it."

The following beautiful poem was read and still further impressed the lesson of the day:

For the structure that we raise,
Time is with material filled;
One today and yesterday,
Are the blocks with which we build.

Truly shape and fashion these;
Leave no yawning gap between;
Think not because no man sees,
Such things will remain unseen.

In the elder days of art,
Builders wrought with greatest care,
Each minute and unseen part,
For the Gods see everywhere.

Let us do our work as well,
Both the unseen and the seen;
Make the house where gods may dwell,
Rustle and entire unseen.

AMERICAN BAPTIST CHURCH.

"The Life of Jesus Christ" is the lofty theme of a series of sermons which the Rev. W. W. Tinker, pastor of the American Baptist Church, is giving at irregular intervals. Last evening's special subject was "Christ's Miracles." The lecture was illustrated by stereoscopic views. The first half dozen were symbolic ones, furnishing Mr. Tinker the theme of his discourse. The remainder of the views were pictures of various miracles. The speaker emphasized the point that every one of Christ's miracles, as recorded in the New Testament, was done to help some soul that was in suffering and anguish, and never a one for His own glory. This series of lectures, the various apocryphal lives of Christ. The other, more dramatic stories, are told in which Christ showed His divinity to His playmates in childhood, by working needless wonders for their education. Another great difference is that the modern nations are not a single adjective used in connection with the Savior's name, and not a comment on His life. His character or His philosophy.

THE Y.M.C.A.

Willard D. Hall, general secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, and C. S. Mason, formerly Y.M.C.A. secretary for the State of California, represented Los Angeles at the biennial Y.M.C.A. international convention held in Springfield, Mass., last May. Since the two delegates returned to California, only a short time ago, yesterday was their first opportunity to report to the association on what they had seen and done.

The regular Sunday services were opened by the singing of several hymns, followed by some selections from Handel's "The Messiah," very acceptably rendered by the Y.M.C.A. Orchestra. C. S. Mason, superintendent of the Pacific Gospel Union, gave an address on the importance of the convention. The delegates were not all clergymen or religious enthusiasts, but most of them men of weight and importance in the business world. Every one of them was alive with the purpose of uplifting the human race, of aiding the young men who will work out the world's future. And best of all, their ideas were thoroughly practical, not visionary glitters.

Mr. Ball gave a brief address, which was substantially as follows:

"On the last night of the convention every seat in the vast hall was filled. Then fifteen men, of as many different nationalities, arose and spoke, each one in his native tongue. But every speech, Japanese, Chinese, German, or Hindustani, ended with the appeal 'Come over and help us.'"

"Though the Y.M.C.A. is represented in every land on the globe, there is an unlimited field not yet touched. There are unlimited possibilities right around us. We send missionaries to China, and yet we have a bit of China in our midst, and most of its people are young men, and young men whom we do not reach. We send missionaries to Africa, and have many negroes in need of our help right among us. There is the submerged tenth; their attitude is of young men in factories and stores and shops and on the railroads, to whom we can give aid. There is work for every man in this city, helping some one else. In October there will be a Y.M.C.A. convention in Los Angeles. We ask your hearty co-operation to scatter abroad the spirit of that occasion, the spirit which was so strong in the great convention at Springfield. There is something for every man to do."

CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. W. B. Burrows of the Episcopal Church of Santa Ana, accompanied by Mrs. Burrows, left last week for San Francisco, on a mission to the city.

Rev. S. Dell Johnson of Seattle, Wash., is visiting at Perris.

A pavilion for holding religious meetings is going to be constructed at Laguna. The residents have contributed a portion of the funds for the construction of it.

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The programme, as outlined for the day, will consist of a grand parade in the morning, starting from Broadway and Temple streets, at 9 o'clock, down Broadway to Fifth street, then to Spring, up Spring to Baker block, counter-march down Main to First, thence to Santa Fe depot, where they will take trains for Redondo, to spend the rest of the day in a manner befitting the occasion.

An extensive array of sports has been prepared for the amusement of the vast crowd that will go down, consisting of running, jumping, and swimming races, tug-of-war, etc., for which \$100 in cash prizes has been provided. Special trains will run between the city and Redondo, the last train leaving Redondo at 11:30 p.m.

The "Kangaroo Court," continues to hold sway at the corral in the rear of the saloon at No. 162 North Los Angeles street. This place is known as "Low's corral," and was described in The Times two or three weeks ago. Quantities of straw are kept there, and in this, drunken men are allowed to lodge. Three men, on a recent occasion, intoxicated, were lying on the straw yesterday afternoon. At least one instance, a man has been seen lying in a drunken stupor there, with his pockets turned inside out. Some of the men who were standing near by admitted they used the contents of the man's pockets to buy beer.

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